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THROUGH THE TUNNEL

Vocabulary

Learning Target?: I will be able to use _____ as a _____ to the _____ of a _____.

1. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "She frowned, conscientiously worrying over what amusements he might secretly be longing for, which she had been too busy or too careless to imagine. He was very familiar with that anxious, apologetic smile. **Contrition** sent him running after her. And yet, as he ran, he looked back over his shoulder at the wild bay; and all morning, as he played on the safe beach, he was thinking of it."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

2. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "Finally, as he ran sliding and scraping down the last few yards, he saw an edge of white surf and the shallow, **luminous** movement of water over white sand, and, beyond that, a solid, heavy blue."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

3. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "To be with them, of them, was a craving that filled his whole body. He swam a little closer; they turned and watched him with narrowed, alert dark eyes. Then one smiled and waved. It was enough. In a minute, he had swum in and was on the rocks beside them, smiling with a desperate, nervous **supplication.**"

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

4. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "After a long time, the boy came up on the other side of a bog dark rock, letting the air out of his lungs in a **sputtering** gasp and a shout of triumph."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

5. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "I want some swimming goggles,' he panted, defiant and **beseeching**. She gave him a patient, inquisitive look as she said casually, 'Well, of course, darling.' But now, now, now! He must have them this minute, and no other time. He nagged and pestered until she went with him to a shop."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

6. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "Fish again, myriads of **minute** fish, the length of his fingernail, were drifting through the water, and in a moment he could feel the innumerable tiny touches of them against his limbs."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

7. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "He gained the surface, **clambered** about the stones that littered the barrier rock until he found a big one, and, with this in his arms, let himself down over the side of the rock."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

8. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "He sat by the clock in the villa, when his mother was not near, and checked his time. He was **incredulous** and then proud to find he could hold his breath without strain for two minutes."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

9. WOD: _____ **POS:** _____ **Context:** _____

MOD: "He could see nothing but a red-veined, clotted dark. His eyes must have burst, he thought; they were full of blood. He tore off his goggles and a **gout** of blood went into the sea. His nose was bleeding, and the blood had filled the goggles."

Prediction: _____

Definition: _____

Sentence: _____

JOURNAL PROMPTS

For each box below, choose one journal prompt to address. Journals should be a **minimum of 7 sentences in length** and must include the selected **vocabulary word**. Please darken your punctuation, highlight the vocabulary word, and make sure sentences don't start with a conjunction (so, and, or, but, because).

1. The boy in the story lets **contrition** keep him away from the wild bay and safe next to his mother on the beach. Describe a time when you let someone guilt you into doing something.
2. Tell me about the **luminous** quality of a body of water that you have visited.
3. Jerry, anxious to be a part of the group, offers the boys a smile of nervous **supplication**. Describe a time when you offered a humble request, whether through words or a simple smile, to be a part of a group.

4. Have you ever held your breath for a long period of time, **sputtering** gasps of air when you finally breathe again? Describe this experience.
5. In order to accomplish his goal, Jerry **beseeches** his mother for goggles. Describe something that you felt you urgently needed.
6. Under water Jerry sees a great number of **minute** fish. Describe a snorkeling experience you have had and what you saw.

7. Jerry's task is not an easy one, but he refuses to give up. **Clambering** about, he finds a rock to help him accomplish his goal. Describe a difficult experience you had climbing rocks.
8. Jerry, feeling **incredulous** in his own abilities, shocks himself when he can hold his breath for over two minutes. Tell me about a time when you were skeptical of yourself.
9. Describe a time when you have either experienced or seen up close a **gout** of blood. Be vivid in your details.

Journal # _____:
